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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: Herbert E. Meyer
Vice Chairman, National Intelligence Council

SUBJECT: NIC Activity Report, 12 - 18 July 1985

I. DCI/DDCI-Assigned Tasks

NIO/Africa (Fred Wettering) prepared talking points for the DCI on US/Southern Africa policy review.

NIO/Economics (David Low)--as Acting NIO/Nuclear Proliferation--met with the DDCI along with A/NIO/AL [redacted] to discuss State Department papers on the Agreement for Nuclear Cooperation between the US and the PRC. Mr. Low also joined the DCI in a meeting with Ambassador Keating to discuss efforts to stimulate private sector development in LDCs; [redacted]

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NIO/FDIA (H. F. Hutchinson, Jr.) prepared background material on the hostile intelligence threat for the DDCI's use in an appearance before the SSCI.

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III. Of Interest This Week

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Assistant NIO/Africa [redacted], with DI/NESA and DO/AF officers, attended a briefing on Sudan by Assistant Secretary of State Crocker; and addressed the OTE analyst course on the role of an NIO.

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NIO/East Asia (Carl Ford) briefed members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the Philippines; met with John Maisto, State Department Country Director for the Philippines; chaired a meeting of the Special Philippine Analytic Group; met with Ambassador Ray Gonzales, a State Department Inspector General, to discuss coordination between the East Asia Bureau and the Intelligence Community; met with Defense Intelligence officer [redacted] to discuss East Asia; hosted a luncheon for US Ambassador to Burma O'Donohue; discussed Vietnam and Cambodia with DIA analysts; and met with [redacted] for discussions on Asia.

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NIO/Economics (David Low)--as Acting NIO/Nuclear Proliferation--with A/NIO/AL [redacted], briefed ACDA Director Kenneth Adelman, Dr. Lewis Dunn, Assistant Director for Nuclear Weapons Control, and Michael Guhin, Counselor to the Director, on the Pakistani nuclear program and the Agreement for Nuclear Cooperation with the PRC; and briefed Deputy Secretary of State Whitehead on the Pakistani nuclear program, with Ambassadors Abramowitz and Kennedy. Mr. Low also attended a meeting chaired by the NSC Staff with NIO/LA (Robert Vickers) to review the position of President-Elect Garcia on the debt issue in anticipation of Treasury Secretary Baker's visit to Peru; met with D/EURA to discuss economic issues related to Europe and Canada and also the EURA 1986 Research Plan; and with A/NIO/Economics [redacted] met with Maurice Ernst of the Hudson Institute to discuss various economic issues.

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NIO/Counterterrorism/Narcotics (Charles Allen) met with [redacted] DIA to discuss areas of potential research in the field of counter-narcotics; met with former NIO/Economics Maurice Ernst to discuss the exploitation of open source information on terrorism; met with Chief/DO/EUR to discuss counterterrorist initiatives; met with the Intelligence Research and Development Council (IR&DC) study panel on counterterrorism to discuss trends in international terrorism and terrorist techniques and received a briefing from the Panel on R&D priorities in the field of counterterrorism; met with NSC staff member Oliver North to discuss overall trends in terrorism and possible Community initiatives to improve collection and analysis; and with A/NIO/Narcotics [redacted] and DO and DI officers, met with the Director of the White House Office on Drug Abuse to discuss trends in narcotics trafficking, drug abuse in drug source and transshipment countries, and narcotics crop production; and met with Director/DIA to discuss trends in the international drug trade, and steps required to coordinate Community and DoD initiatives to counter narcotics.

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NIO/Europe (Col. George Kolt) met with William Hyland, Editor of Foreign Affairs, and with Ambassador Eagleburger at Kissinger Associates to seek their views on Europe; attended an IG on SDI at the Pentagon with an ACIS officer; discussed Soviet policy in the Balkans with Professor Robert Byrnes; with C/EUR/DO, met with the Ambassador-Designate to Malta; met with Richard Haass, State Department Deputy Director/Europe, to discuss the latter's visit to Turkey, Greece, and Cyprus; discussed French military strategy [redacted] with NIO/SP (Lawrence Gershwin), met with BG Charles May, Chief of the USAF ICBM Modernization Office; and with A/NIO/Europe [redacted] attended a State Department swearing-in ceremony for the Ambassador to Yugoslavia; and met with the Ambassador-Designate to Iceland.

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Assistant NIO/Europe [redacted] attended an interagency briefing at the State Department on trends in Czechoslovakia by Ambassador Luehrs.

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Assistant NIO/FDIA [redacted] discussed the establishment of two D&D-related data bases with OGI and OSWR officers; and completed staff work within the Community on the draft DCID for the DDAC.

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NIO/GPF (MG Stephen E. Nichols), with A/NIO/GPF [redacted] met with Dr. James Tegnelia, Deputy Undersecretary of Defense for Tactical Warfare, to discuss applications of emerging technology; and received a briefing on collection requirements from OSWR officer [redacted]

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NIO/Latin America (Robert Vickers) met with Ray Burghardt, NSC Staff Director for Latin America; prepared information on Libyan activities in

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Suriname for Constantine Menges; and with a DO officer, discussed coordination of military intelligence collection with the Defense Intelligence Officer for Latin America.

NIO/NESA (Graham Fuller) discussed the Middle East peace process with former Assistant Secretary of State Hal Saunders, now at the American Enterprise Institute; attended a seminar on Middle East terrorism at the Near East Policy Association; discussed the policy planning process with a State Department Policy Planning officer; met with the State Department Director/North Africa to discuss Libya and Morocco; met with an American University scholar doing research on Shiism; and met [redacted] the Ambassador-Designate to Morocco.

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NIO/SP (Lawrence Gershwin) met with Andrew Marshall of OSD/NA and SOVA analysts to discuss the update to the Joint Net Assessment on Strategic Forces; was briefed by Air Force Intelligence analysts on Soviet deception [redacted] met with WISSIC Subcommittee Chairmen to discuss their support for NIE 11-3/8-86; briefed Dr. Donald Hicks, Undersecretary of Defense/R&E, on Soviet strategic offensive force developments; and briefed the Defense Policy Board on Soviet strategic forces.

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NIO/S&T (Julian Nall), with A-NIO/S&T [redacted], met with C/SE/DO to discuss closer interaction on S&T matters; and attended the STAP meeting.

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NIO/USSR (Fritz Ermarth) met with members of the PFIAB to discuss a project chaired by Henry Kissinger; met with NSC staff member Don Fortier regarding Soviet policy toward the Middle East; and convened an NIO-SOVA discussion on Soviet military doctrine.

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Assistant NIO/USSR [redacted] discussed US/Soviet relations with William Courtney, Special Assistant to Under Secretary of State Armacost, and met with NSC staff member Douglas Doan to discuss current Soviet developments and NSC interests.

IV. Future Activities

NIO/S&T (Julian Nall) and members of the STAP Sensor Study Working Group will meet with Col. Joe Ralston, Chief of the USAF Stealth Program, on 19 July 1985.

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